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In re Patent Application of:
Terry L. Gilton, et al.

Application No.: 10/077,784

Filed: February 20, 2002

For: REMOVABLE PROGRAMMABLE
CONDUCTOR MEMORY CARD AND
ASSOCIATED READ/WRITE DEVICE
AND METHOD OF OPERATION

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S.
patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following new claims:

72. A programmable resistance memory card, comprising:

a programmable resistance material layer capable of defining a plurality of
programmable memory storage areas spaced about said layer, said layer having a first
surface which is electrically engageable with conductive elements of a conductor assembly
for operating said memory storage areas.



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Applicant(s): Terry L. Gilton, et al.

Invention: REMOVABLE PROGRAMMABLE CONDUCTOR MEMORY CARD
AND ASSOCIATED READ/WRITE DEVICE
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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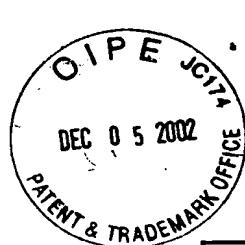
CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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		Application Number	10/077,784	
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		First Named Inventor	Terry L. Gilton	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE				
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Independent Claims 6 -5** = 1 x 84.00 = 84.00				
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